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In a communication dated November 19, 1998, examination this application was suspended for a period of six months. This period has long since expired and applicants now advise the examiner that it is appropriate to resume prosecution of this application. In any event, please advise the undersigned of the status of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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